BILLINGTON IN BRADLEY

(1549) Apparently suppressed as a chantry in or before 1549, when it was certified to be endowed with a messuage etc. at Forebridge, given by Wm Salt on 29 Jan 1539.40, worth 6/0 net pa and a cottage on the common. The priest used to sing mass here for the ease of the inhabitants of the township of Billington as it was more than a mile from the parish church. Church Ornaments: 1 little bell at the end of the chapel; 3 oz of white plate; and sundry ornaments worth 1/3.

(1563) Not mentioned.

Special References:

Parish History

Missions

Description of Church

The church, dedicated to St Margaret, was built ...

Type of incumbent

Chantry Priest .....-1548

Patrons

Parish Registers

Bells

Clergy

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(Reader, Bradley, Staffs)

- (said to be Reader of Billington in Bradley [but did it then exist?], "Not named, no preacher, a lay reader, stipend 16 groats ") 1604 [1604 return]